

REMARKS

In the Office Action of September 25, 2003, the Examiner alleged that the Applicant's amendment of August 6, 2003 was non-responsive on the alleged grounds that it presented only claims drawn to a non-elected species. In particular, the Examiner alleged that the claims in the application were not readable on the elected species because they all required a primary explosive. In response, Claim 1 is canceled, Claim 3 is amended as an independent claim, dependent Claims 5 - 10 are amended to depend from Claim 3 and new independent Claims 14 and 15 are added to the application. Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that the corrections required by the Examiner in the Office Action of September 25, 2003 are supplied by the above amendments. Reexamination and reconsideration are respectfully requested

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Respectfully submitted,
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